15. Date & Time of despatch to the court :

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The Inspector-In-Charge, Pradhan Nagar PS, Siliguri Police Commissionerate.

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Perudhannagas PSGDt No. 254 dt 06.05.25 and Harted PDN DS Care No. 315/25 Dt 06.05.25 US 20(6)(ii)(1)/29 of NDPS Act and andorsed to SI Bandhan Ray to its invostigation. Inspector-in-Charge Inspector-in-Charge Tourant los/Apadhan Nagar Police Station.

Sir, In producing herewith 04 accused persons namely (i) Dipchand Barman (36 Yrs) S/O Fatik Barman of Ditiya Khanda, Kushyamari, PO-Bara Godai Khora, PS-Sitalkuchi, Dist.-Coochbehar (ii) Azizul Rahaman (25 yrs) S/O Ajibar Mia of Purba Sitalkuchi, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist Coochbehar (iii) Duryadhan Namadas (34 Yrs) S/O Dayal Namadas of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS-Sitalkuchi, Dist.- Coochbehar and (iv) Sanjay Das (26 yrs) S/O Bengu Das of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist- Coochbehar under arrest along with the following seizure articles viz :- (i) one black and blue colour back pack styled as "hp Calvin Klein containing one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contain 9.085 Kg of Ganja Seized from the possession of accused Dipchand Barman - marked as Exhibit "A", ii) one black colour bag pack styled as "STAR ROYAL" containing one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contein 9.065Kg Ganja seized from the possession of accused Azizul Rahaman-Marked as Exhibit "B", (iii) One black and metallic gray colour bag pack styled as "Martucci" containing one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contain 9.085 Kg. Ganja seized from the possession of accused Duryadhan Namadas-marked as Exhibit "C, and iv) one black and maroon colour back pack styled as hp Calvin Klein containing one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contain 9.065 Kg of Ganja seized from the possession of accused Sanjay Das-Marked as Exhibit "D. I, SI Goutam Mallik S/O Late Nikhil Ranjan Mallik of Pradhan Nagar PS, Siliguri Police Commissionerate do hereby lodged this written complaint against the above noted 04 (four) arrested accused persons, to the effect that on 05.05.2025 at 18.05 hrs, I received a reliable specific secret source input that four persons would be come to Siliguri Junction Public bus stand under Pradhan Nagar PS with illegal contraband in their back pack to deliver the same to their designed customers for their illegal gain.

Accordingly, the matter was diarized in PS General Diary vide Pradhan Nagar PS GDE No. 234 dated 05.05.2025 and I informed to you in writing. Subsequently, being directed by you at about 18.15 hrs myself along with SI Rajiv Subba, ASI Biplab Kr Das, ASI Prabal Sarkar and force all of Pradhan Nagar PS, SPC left for Siliguri Junction Public Bus Stand under PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling without any search warrant or authorization for search which could not be possible to obtain from a competent authority for sudden development of such a sensitive information and also for not giving them opportunity for concealment of evidence or facility for their escape. This refers to Pradhan Nagar PS GDE No. 235 dated 05.05.2025 and M.C.C. No. 183/25 dated 05.05.2025. I also informed one Videographer namely Somnath Chatterjee, S/O Sushil Chatterjee of Arabinda Pally, Gokhel Road, Ward No 22, PS- Siliguri, Dist.-Darjeeling over telephone and requested him to come to Siliguri Junction Public Bus Stand under Pradhan Nagar PS, Dist.- Darjeeling with his video camera for the purpose of video graphs if required. On the way, I briefed all the Police personnel properly sharing them the nature of information in hand. I also contact with RT Van officer SI Debabrata Khan and share the information and requested him to come to Siliguri Junction Public Bus Stand to accompany as well assist us.

At around 18.35 hrs we arrived at Siliguri Junction and contacted with my source who stated that the persons possessing illegal contraband would come to Siliguri Junction Public bus stand within a short period of time. Then, I requested two available independent persons namely (i) Krishna Dusadh (49 yrs) S/O Late Narayan Dusadh of Rajendra Nagar, coolipara, Ward No-01, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling and (ii) Suraj Paswan (30 yrs) S/O Gopal Paswan of Rajendra Nagar, coolipara, Ward No-01, PS- Pradhan Nagar, Dsit. Darjeeling to remain present and act as witness if any search and seizure we would made which they agreed. I also issued notice to the above mentioned two independent witnesses. In the mean time RT mobile officer SI Debabrata Khan along with force came at Siliguri Junction Public bus stand and accompany with us. At around 20.30 hrs being identified by the source, we noticed that four persons with four back packs in their possession entered into Siliguri Junction Public Bus Statnd and being pointed by the source we cordoned the place and managed to detain them with four back packs in their possession. Thereafter, we disclosed our identities as Police personnel (as 3/4 police personnel of our team were in civil dress for our convenience) and informed them regarding the information in hand. On interrogation they disclosed their identity as (1) Dipchand Barman (36 Yrs) S/O Fatik Barman of Ditiya Khanda, Kushyamari, PO- Bara Godai Khora, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist.- Coochbehar (ii) Azizul Rahaman (25 yrs) S/O Ajibar Mia of Purba Sitalkuchi, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist Coochbehar (iii) Duryadhan Namadas (34 Yrs) S/O Dayal Namadas of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS-Sitalkuchi, Dist.- Coochbehar and (iv) Sanjay Das (26 yrs) S/O Bengu Das of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist- Coochbehar. During further interrogation they disclosed that they possessed Ganja in their bag. Then, I was issued a notice in writing to them whether they wanted to be searched in presence of an Executive Magistrate or by any Gazetted officer which they agreed to be searched in presence of any of the above noted officer. At around 21.15 hrs the above mentioned camera man arrived there and I issued a notice to him to video graph the entire process of search and seizure.

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Accordingly, I informed about the matter to you over mobile phone and requested you to arrange for an Executive Magistrate or Gazatted officer for the purpose of supervise the entire search and seizure process. At around 21.35 hrs you arrived at the spot at Siliguri Junction Public Bus stand under PS-Pradhan Nagar, Dist. Darjeeling to perform the duty of gazetted officer being the I/C of Pradhan Nagar PS and informed me that due to unavailability of Executive Magistrate, as a gazetted officer you are legally authorise to give order to search bags of the suspects.

Then, I served a notice to you for supervise the entire process of search and seizure. Then following your direction on camera, I offered the independent witnesses and detained persons to search our police team but they denied searching Police. Thereafter, in presence of you and independent witnesses as noted above searched the back pack under the possession of accused Dipchand Barman (36 Yrs) S/O Fatik Barman of Ditiya Khanda, Kushyamari, PO- Bara Godai Khora, PS-Sitalkuchi, Dist.- Coochbehar and recovered one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contain 9.085 Kg of Ganja, search the back pack under the possession of accused Azizul Rahaman (25 yrs) S/O Ajibar Mia of Purba Sitalkuchi, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist Coochbehar and recovered one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contain 9.065 Kg of Ganja, searched the back pack under the possession of accused Duryadhan Namadas (34 Yrs) S/O Dayal Namadas of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS-Sitalkuchi, Dist.- Coochbehar and recovered one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contain 9.085 Kg of Ganja and searched the back pack of under the possession of accused Sanjay Das (26 yrs) S/O Bengu Das of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist-Coochbehar and recovered one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contain 9.065 Kg of Ganja ie, total (9.085 Kg + 9.065 Kg + 9.085 Kg + 9.065 Kg) total 36.300 Kgs of Ganja was recovered from their possession.

On demand in presence of you and independent witnesses, all the above mentioned 04 (four) detained persons namely i) Dipchand Barman (36 Yrs) S/O Fatik Barman of Ditiya Khanda, Kushyamari, PO-Bara Godai Khora, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist.- Coochbehar (ii) Azizul Rahaman (25 yrs) S/O Ajibar Mia of Purba Sitalkuchi, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist Coochbehar (iii) Duryadhan Namadas (34 Yrs) S/O Dayal Namadas of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS-Sitalkuchi, Dist.- Coochbehar and (iv) Sanjay Das (26 vrs) S/O Bengu Das of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist- Coochbehar failed to produce any valid document/papers for possessing or selling such huge quantities of Gajna. On further grilling, they confessed their guilt and stated that they procured the said quantities of Ganja clandestinely from Sitalkuchi, Cooch Behar for the purpose of selling the same in high rates to their designed customers and also stated that they are engaged in such type of illegal business for the last few months for their wrongful gain within a short period of time.

Accordingly, I seized the following articles viz:- i) one black and blue colour back pack styled as "hp Calvin Klein" containing one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contain 9.085 Kg of Ganja Seized from the possession of accused Dipchand Barman - marked as Exhibit "A", ii) one black colour bag pack styled as "STAR ROYAL" containing one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contein 9.065Kg Ganja seized from the possession of accused Azizul Rahaman-Marked as Exhibit "B", (iii) One black and metallic gray colour bag pack styled as "Martucci" containing one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contain 9.085 Kg. Ganja seized from the possession of accused Deryadhan Namadas-marked as Exhibit "C", and iv) one black and maroon colour back pack styled as "hp Calvin Klein" containing one white colour transparent polythine bag wrapped with brown colour tape which contains 09.065 Kg of Ganja seized from the possession of Sanjay Das-Marked as Exhibit "D" under proper seizure list from the spot in presence of you and independent witnesses and obtained their signatures which are acknowledged by the accused persons. Subsequently, I sealed and labelled the seized contraband articles in presence of you and independent witnesses and the above noted accused persons at the spot. The whole process of search, seizure and labeled were made under the coverage of video graph executed by the videographer namely Somnath Chatterjee, S/O Sushil Chatterjee of Arabinda Pally, Gokhel Road, Ward No. 22, PS. Siliguri, Dist.- Darjeeling in between 21.45 hrs to 23.50 hrs as per norms of BNSS.

From the above noted facts and seizure of incriminating articles, it is quite evident that the accused persons namely (i) Dipchand Barman (36 Yrs) S/O Fatik Barman of Ditiya Khanda, Kushyamari, PO-Bara Godai Khora, PS-Sitalkuchi, Dist.-Coochbehar (ii) Azizul Rahaman (25 yrs) S/O Ajibar Mia of Purba Sitalkuchi, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist Coochbehar (iii) Duryadhan Namadas (34 Yrs) S/O Dayal Namadas of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS-Sitalkuchi, Dist.- Coochbehar and (iv) Sanjay Das (26 yrs) S/O Bengu Das of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist-Coochbehar were involved in procuring and selling Ganja illegally contravening the provisions of NDPS Act. Then, I arrested them after observing all formalities, informing them regarding the ground of their arrest and issuing a copy of Memo of Arrest and gorund of arrest.

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Under the above fact and circumstances, I pray before you that a specific case under proper sections of law may kindly be started against the following four accused persons namely i) Dipchand Barman (36 Yrs) S/O Fatik Barman of Ditiya Khanda, Kushyamari, PO- Bara Godai Khora, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist.- Coochbehar (ii) Azizul Rahaman (25 yrs) S/O Ajibar Mia of Purba Sitalkuchi, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist Coochbehar (iii) Duryadhan Namadas (34 Yrs) S/O Dayal Namadas of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS-Sitalkuchi, Dist.- Coochbehar and (iv) Sanjay Das (26 yrs) S/O Bengu Das of Chhoto Salbari, Bhair Thana, PS- Sitalkuchi, Dist- Coochbehar and its investigation may kindly be arranged.

## Enclosures:-

i) Original Memo of Arrest.

ii) Original seizure list along with seized article and other relevant documents.

Yours faithfully,

(SI Goutam Mallik)
Pradhan Nagar PS, SPC